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RE:

United States Patent Appln No. 09/892,142
Title: WOOD-GLUING AND CLAMPING SYSTEM
Inventor(s): CABLE, Eric

Attached is the proposed response for discussion at our interview Friday,
November 21, 2003 at 11:00 a.m.

Yours truly

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'A.R. Hicks'.

Andrew R. Hicks

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 8, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page ___ of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page ___ of this paper.